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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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For: **APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR MONITORING AND ANALYZING  
INSTANT MESSAGING ACCOUNT TRANSCRIPTS**

Enclosed are also:

- 31 Pages of Specification including an Abstract  
 7 Pages of Claims ( Claims 1 - 30 )  
 8 Sheet(s) of Drawings ( informal )  
 3 A Declaration and Power of Attorney  
 ✓ Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation

## CLAIMS AS FILED

FOR	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee (\$740)
Total Claims	30	-20 =	10 X \$ 18 =	\$180
Independent Claims	3	-3 =	0 X \$ 84 =	\$0
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